# Exhibit A

#### **SCHEDULE 4**

#### COVENANTS BY THE SURETY

#### 1. Indemnity by Surety

The Surety hereby covenants with the Landlord and as a separate covenant with the Management Company as a primary obligation that the Tenant or the Surety shall at all times until the Tenant shall cease to be bound by the Tenant's covenants in the Lease during the Term duly perform and observe all the covenants on the part of the Tenant contained in this Lease including the payment of the rents hereby reserved and all other sums payable under this Lease in the manner and at the times herein specified and the Surety shall indemnify and keep indemnified the Landlord and the Management Company against all claims demands losses damages liability costs fees and expenses whatsoever sustained by the Landlord or the Management Company by reason of or arising directly or indirectly out of any default by the Tenant in the performance and observance of any of its obligations or the payment of any rents and other sums Provided That the Landlord and the Management Company shall notify the Tenant of any such actions or other matters and take all reasonable steps to mitigate such losses having regard to the nature of the breach

#### 2. Surety jointly and severally liable with Tenant

The Surety hereby further covenants with the Landlord and as a separate covenant with the Management Company that the Surety is jointly and severally liable with the Tenant (whether before or after any disclaimer by a liquidator or trustee in bankruptcy) for the fulfilment of all the obligations of the Tenant under this Lease and agrees that the Landlord or the Management Company in the enforcement of its rights hereunder may proceed against the Surety as if the Surety was named as the Tenant in this Lease

#### 3. Waiver by Surety

The Surety hereby waives any right to require the Landlord or the Management Company to proceed against the Tenant or to pursue any other remedy whatsoever which may be available to the Landlord or the Management Company before proceeding against the Surety

### 4. Postponement of claims by Surety against Tenant

The Surety hereby further covenants with the Landlord and as a separate covenant with the Management Company that the Surety shall not claim in any liquidation bankruptcy composition or arrangement of the Tenant in competition with the Landlord or the Management Company and shall remit to the Landlord the proceeds of all judgments and all distributions it may receive from any liquidator trustee in bankruptcy or supervisor of the Tenant and shall hold for the benefit of the Landlord and the Management Company all security and rights the Surety may have over assets of the Tenant whilst any liabilities of the Tenant or the Surety to the Landlord or the Management Company remain outstanding

#### 5. Postponement of participation by Surety in security

The Surety shall not be entitled to participate in any security held by the Landlord or the Management Company in respect of the Tenant's obligations to the Landlord or the Management Company under this Lease or to stand in the place of the Landlord or the Management Company in respect of any such security until all the obligations of the Tenant or the Surety to the Landlord and the Management Company under this Lease have been performed or discharged

# 6. No release of Surety

None of the following or any combination thereof shall release discharge or in any way lessen or affect the liability of the Surety under this Lease:-

- (a) any neglect delay or forbearance of the Landlord or the Management Company in endeavouring to obtain payment of the rents or other amounts required to be paid by the Tenant or in enforcing the performance or observance of any of the obligations of the Tenant under this Lease
- (b) any refusal by the Landlord or the Management Company to accept rent tendered by or on behalf of the Tenant at a time when the Landlord was entitled (or would after the service of a notice under Section 146 of the Law of Property Act 1925 have been entitled) to re-enter the Demised Premises
- (c) any extension of time given by the Landlord or the Management Company to the Tenant
- (d) (subject to Section 18 of the Landlord and Tenant (Covenants) Act 1995) any variation of the terms of this Lease (including any reviews of the rent payable under this Lease) or the transfer of the Landlord's reversion or the assignment of this Lease
- (e) any change in the identity constitution structure or powers of any of the Tenant the Surety the Landlord or the Management Company or the liquidation administration or bankruptcy (as the case may be) of either the Tenant or the Surety
- (f) any legal limitation or any immunity disability or incapacity of the Tenant (whether or not known to the Landlord or the Management Company) or the fact that any dealings with the Landlord or the Management Company by the Tenant may be outside or in excess of the powers of the Tenant
- (g) any other act omission matter or thing whatsoever whereby but for this provision the Surety would be exonerated either wholly or in part (other than a release under seal given by the Landlord and/or the Management Company as the case may be)

#### 7. Disclaimer or forfeiture of Lease

- (a) The Surety hereby further covenants with the Landlord and the Management Company that:-
  - (i) if the Crown or a liquidator or trustee in bankruptcy shall disclaim or surrender this Lease or
  - (ii) if this Lease shall be forfeited or
  - (iii) if the Tenant shall cease to exist unless the same occurs as part of an amalgamation merger or reconstruction resulting in a solvent corporation

THEN the Surety shall if the Landlord by notice in writing given to the Surety within one hundred and eighty (180) days after such disclaimer or other event so requires accept from and execute and deliver to the Landlord a counterpart of a new lease of the Demised Premises (duly stamped at the Surety's expense) for a term commencing on the date of the disclaimer or other event and continuing for the residue then remaining unexpired of the Term such new lease to be at the cost of the Surety and to be at the same rents and subject to the same covenants conditions and provisions as are contained in this Lease

(b) If the Landlord shall not require the Surety to take a new lease the Surety shall nevertheless upon demand pay to the Landlord a sum equal to the Rent and other sums that would have been payable under this Lease but for the disclaimer or other event in respect of the period from and including the date of such disclaimer or other event until the expiration of one hundred and eighty (180) days therefrom or until the Landlord shall have granted a lease of the Demised Premises to a third party (whichever shall first occur)

# 8. Benefit of guarantee and indemnity

This guarantee and indemnity shall enure for the benefit of the successors and assigns of the Landlord and the Management Company respectively under this Lease without the necessity for any assignment thereof

#### 9. Value Added Tax

Where, pursuant to the terms of this Lease, the Landlord or the Management Company or any other person (for the purposes of this paragraph 9, the "Supplier") makes or is deemed to make a supply to the Surety for Value Added Tax purposes and Value Added Tax is or becomes chargeable on such supply, the Surety shall (in addition to and at the same time as providing any other consideration for such supply) pay to the Supplier a sum equal to the amount of such Value Added Tax and the Supplier shall provide the Surety with a Value Added Tax invoice in respect of such supply

# 10. Guarantor to join in Authorised Guarantee Agreement

The Surety covenants with the Landlord, and as a separate covenant with the Tenant, that the Surety will join in, and execute and deliver to the Landlord, any deed which the Tenant (here meaning only the Tenant whose obligations hereunder were originally guaranteed by that Surety) is required to execute and deliver to the Landlord pursuant to Clause 4.21.2(b)(i), so as to give the covenants on the part of the Surety therein contained

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